

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of:)	
Jens PETERSEN)	Group Art Unit: 1615
Application No.: 09/938,667)	Examiner: Blessing M. Fubara
Filing Date: August 27, 2001)	
Title: POLYACRYLAMIDE HYDROGEL)	
FOR THE TREATMENT OF)	
INCONTINENCE AND)	
VESICOUTRETAL REFLUX)	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant submits attached Form PTO/SB/08A (modified) for consideration and requests the references cited therein be made of record by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") in the above-captioned application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2), the U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications cited have not been provided.

U.S. Reissued Patent No. RE38,913, issued to Pavlyk, is owned by the Assignee of the present application and was recently issued on December 6, 2005. U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2005-0175704 is a copending application.

Applicant respectfully points out that the submission of the listed references in this Information Disclosure Statement is not an admission that they are prior art or that they are material to patentability of any claims of the application. Also, the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not an indication that a search has been made by Applicant.

Consideration of the foregoing plus the prompt return of a copy of the enclosed Form PTO/SB/08A with the Examiner's initials in the left column in accordance with M.P.E.P. § 609 are respectfully requested.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2), this Information Disclosure Statement is believed to be submitted after the issuance of a first Office Action on the merits but before the mailing date of any action closing prosecution in the application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206 the amount of \$180.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). It is respectfully submitted that no additional fees are required for consideration of this information. However, in the event that the USPTO determines that a variance exists between the amount authorized above and the amount due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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